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## THE OBSERVER.

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### NEWS AND COMMENT.

"HISTORY repeats itself," and the typical "carrying coals to New Castle" was outdone the other day by the shipment of iron from Sheffield, Ala., to Pittsburgh, Penn.

THE OBSERVER is ready to accept, with its characteristic modesty, the heartfelt thanks of the whole North Carolina press for being the first to sound the note of warning of the wicked schemes of designing men to defeat VANCE for the United States Senatorship in the next General Assembly.

THE negro exodus seems to have lost the "black district" to the North Carolina Republicans, but in proportion to their despair will be the desperation of their fight in the next campaign. The brunt of the struggle will be for a foothold in the next legislature, but they will resort to colonization in doubtful Congressional districts.

THE Republicans in the administration and in Congress may about this time paraphrase Shakspeare with gruesome significance: "Now is the winter of our discontent"—and, alas! there is no "son of York" to make it "glorious summer" for them, either. "Boss" Quay, conductor Reed, incendiary Ingalls—all "quite chapfallen?" "Alas! poor Yorick!"

"WITHIN the next five years, and before the records of next summer's census shall have been published, Memphis, Atlanta, Richmond, Nashville, Chattanooga and Knoxville will each have far more than 100,000 population." Wilmington, Fayetteville and Greensboro are now on the great highway of traffic and travel between the sea-coast and the West—wait until they are heard from.

RAILROAD construction in North Carolina to-day is possibly as great as at any period in the State's history, work on the following lines being in progress at this time: Western North Carolina, Marietta & North Georgia, Three C's, Winston & Wilkesboro, North & West, Yadkin Valley, Winston & Mocksville, Roanoke & Southern, Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley, Aberdeen & West End, Wilmington, Onslow and East Carolina, Greenville & Kinston and Lynchburg & Durham.

DR. BATTLE of the State University is always on the alert for the advancement of education, and especially among the young teachers, and we are glad to see that the University offers a three months' course to male teachers free of tuition, beginning on Monday, the 24th inst. No examinations are required for entrance. The Doctor has kindly furnished THE OBSERVER with a programme, which we judge to be very attractive. This is the opportunity of a lifetime for the young teachers of the State.

"BOB INGERSOLL says HARRISON'S administration reminds him of a couple who got married and quarreled as to whether they should have terrapin or duck for their first dinner. The husband wanted terrapin, the wife wanted duck, and they finally compromised on cabbage." It is a good deal, too, like the *soi disant* opera-singer in Dan Bryant's Minstrels, who started with the demand of $100 a night for his services, and at last tapered down to $3 a week and his board. In less than four years HARRISON'S administration will be "skirmishing around" in search of a "free lunch counter."

DURHAM and Oxford come out of the contest over the location of the proposed Baptist Female College a little sore, believing that their liberality and public spirit merited a better ending. Plucky, generous Durham, especially, is carrying a real cause of grievance. But what would you have? Raleigh is in a chronic state of need, and its "cry of the horse leech" doth continually vex the ears of the people. *Puck* makes a stranger met at the gate of Heaven by St. Peter, who says: "Walk in, walk in, but I don't quite recognize you. What's that bundle under your arm?" "Er-er-it's just the earth; I——" "Oh, come right along in, Mr. Gould!" As "Cap'n Cuttle" would say, "the bearing of this observation lies in its application."

"BARNUM invited the 'grand old man' to his 'greatest show on earth,' and Mr GLADSTONE and family went. There were 1,200 performers in the great pageant known as 'Nero.' Mr. GLADSTONE praised it, and said it was very correct as to costumes, etc. But is it not passing strange that a great and pure man of more than eighty should condescend to go to a circus?" Not a bit of it. There are worse things in the world than the circus, and it did not hurt this "great and pure man" to laugh uproariously at the antediluvian, Ark-preserved jokes of the clown, or revive the prowess of his own stalwart manhood by a contemplation of the wonderful feats of equitation and the ring. The old showman Sleary, in Dickens's "Hard Times," slyly digs in the ribs the tiresome "goody-goody" people, as he thus atrociously lisps to Mr. Gradgrind: "Thake handth, now, Thquire, firtht and latht, and think the betht of uth, not the wortht; the people muthn't be amuthed."

### LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The New York Assembly has adopted the World's Fair conference report with only one dissenting vote. ——The labor situation at Woburn, Mass., has become very serious; neither side will yield, and another mill has closed, throwing fifteen hundred men out of work. ——Mr. Joseph Gillis Biggar, a well known Home Ruler, and member of the English House of Commons, died suddenly on the 19th inst., from heart disease. ——In the Dempsey-McCarthy prize-fight in California, McCarthy was knocked out in the twenty-eighth round. ——The agent of a Northern Company in Louisiana has absconded, and an investigation of his affairs shows a deficit of $40,000. ——A negro criminally assaulted a farmer's wife, near Heiskell's station, Tenn., which has greatly excited the people, and it is thought he will be lynched, although effort is being made to protect him. ——A colliery explosion in France caused great loss of life; thirty-six bodies have already been recovered. ——Four stores were destroyed by fire in New Orleans on the 19th inst., causing a loss of $115,000. ——The President went to Pittsburg to attend the opening of the free library at Alleghany City on the 19th inst. ——Majority and minority reports have been submitted to the House in the Atkinson *vs.* Pendleton election contest from the Fourth West Virginia district. ——The fall of a church gallery in London injured a number of people. ——Elections in and near Paris favored the Boulangist candidates. ——Dr. Talmage subscribed a year's salary—$12,000—to the fund for his new church, and announced that the $150,000 needed would be mainly raised by means of subscriptions to his weekly paper. ——John B. Kelley, claimed to be a principal in the Cronin murder, was arrested at St. Louis last week. ——Reliable information from Paris gives assurance of the early pardon of the Duc d'Orleans by President Carnot. ——Hugh K. Boyer has been appointed postmaster at Sparta, N. C. ——C. Latham Sholes, the inventor of the type-writer, died last week at Milwaukee Wis., at the age of 71 years. ——John E. Starling, who has been on trial at Smithfield for his life, has been acquitted. ——Negotiations are in progress for a large increase in the capital stock and in the operations of the Wetmore Shoe and Leather Company. ——In Washington county, while a barn was being torn down for removal the wind was blowing at a very high rate, and a portion of the building fell, catching under it W. A. Alexander and Jacob Bosnight. The latter was so badly crushed that he soon died. Alexander is badly injured. ——A boiler at the saw-mill of Wade & Co., near Wakulla, Robeson county, exploded last week, and killed Riley McNeill, an old colored man.—— The young son of James Prevatt, of Back Swamp, Robeson county, was fatally injured by a falling limb while cutting a tree. ——It is learned that the newspaper which Hon. T. A. Jernigan will establish in Raleigh will be a weekly, independent Democrat in politics, and conducted on an entirely new plan. There are also rumors that Raleigh is to have another daily morning paper. ——It is said that a railway is to be built from Bennettsville, S. C., to Charleston. This will give connections between Charleston and Greensboro and also with the Norfolk & Western Railway *via* Mt. Airy, the present northwestern terminus of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway. —— A site for the Presbyterian Synodical Orphanage has been bought at Charlotte for $4,000. ——Louis Banzia, of Kilrain's exhibition company, whose opponent died while sparring at Dallas, Texas, has been acquitted by the coroner's jury. ——Joseph Shackleton, at Bound Brook, N. J., has been sued for $50,000 by a woman who claims she married him when he had another wife. Both women are sueing for a divorce. ——Susan B. Anthony's 70th birthday was celebrated by a banquet at the Riggs house, Washington. ——Mrs. Mary Olsen took possession of Justice Rusche's office in Hoboken, and prayed all night in German, Swedish and English for the salvation of the clerk, who dared not leave her alone, and could not persuade her to depart. ——A wild cat which measured three feet in length was killed near Mt. Holly a few days ago. ——Williams, the colored emigration agent, claims that he has sent 22,000 colored people out of the State. ——There are now 240 preachers in the North Carolina M. E. Conference, and the membership of the denomination (in this State) numbers about 92,000. ——North Carolina now has sixty Young Men's Christian Associations. These are expected to have 200 delegates at the State Convention to be held at Goldsboro on March 18th next. ——At Ypsilanti, Mich., Bertie Brown, 4 years old, fell into a vat of hot grease and was so badly scalded that he died. ——Between 800 and 1,000 Indians, credited to the Devil's Lake Agency, North Dakota, are wholly destitute of clothing and in the last stages of starvation. ——A report is current in London that the Sultan of Zanzibar is dead. ——Construction trains collided on the Philadelphia & Atlantic Railroad at Summerdale, N. J., and four men were injured. ——The engagement of Theodore Thomas, the great orchestral leader, to Miss Lilly Fay, of Chicago, is announced. ——George Williams, 88 years old, was choked to death at Saxton, Pa., by a piece of apple lodging in his throat. ——It is reported that, though Trinity College cannot open in Raleigh till 1891, the law department of that institution will open there next September. ——The House Committee on Territories decided to report a bill for the admission of Wyoming and Idaho as States of the Union. ——The coal-fields between Walnut Cove and Leaksville are to be developed by a newly-organized company. The extent of the deposit is very great and the coal well fitted for ordinary uses. ——The Halifax county vineyards, recently bought up by and now under the control of an English syndicate, are, by the use of large capital, to be enlarged and greatly developed. The Medoc vineyard is now one of the largest in the South. —— Rev. Thos. Dixon, the bright young preacher who is winning such a reputation in New York, has accepted an invitation to deliver the annual address at Wake Forest College at the next commencement. He is a graduate of that college. ——The people of Raleigh are preparing to increase their cash gift to the Baptist Female State University to $50,000.

### Ecuador.

Ecuador is at last beginning to make itself known in both the United States and Europe. It had a superb exhibit in the recent Paris Exposition, and will have, if such be possible, a finer one at the American World's Fair in New York in 1892. The former event is a surprise to all who thought the Equatorial Republic an indolent land, whose only resources were from cattle-raising and agriculture. A fair idea of the growth may be gathered from the official figures of the tides of commerce between it and the rest of the world. The exports and imports of Ecuador in 1869 were $3 700,000, and $2,700,000, and in 1887 were $101,000,000 and 11,000,000 respectively. The United States cannot show a greater proportional increase in any similar period of eighteen years. One item alone will come home to every lover of confectionary. The output of cocoa (the fruit of the chocolate tree) has risen from 1,000,000 pounds to 45,000,000 in the time mentioned, and much of it comes to this country.

The time-honored dispute between Ecuador and Peru, in regard to the rich mining and agricultural lands upon the upper Amazon, has been decided amicably in favor of Ecuador, excepting in regard to a small strip of comparative insignificance, which is still under discussion. Upon this great stream, as well as upon the branches, many of which are as large as the Ohio River, all being navigable, there are steamboats doing a good business. The maps now in use in the public schools which describe this part of the world as an uninhabited wilderness will have to be changed very soon, as the country is filling up, and there are towns, villages and postoffices where not so long ago were only Indian camps and the lairs of wild animals. There is bound to be a great rush to Eastern Ecuador as soon as the gold deposits in that great province are located. For a hundred years the Indians who live there have made all their purchases from the merchants with gold dust, scales or nuggets, which they gather in the neighborhood of their homes. The Government will soon make a thorough geological survey of that district, and ascertain where those rich placers and gold quartz veins are situated. When this is done a great immigration will set in from all parts of the world, and especially from Great Britain and the United States.

### Cotton Statistics from the Agricultural Department.

The cotton returns of the Department of Agriculture for February give local estimates of the proportion of the crop which has left the plantation. The consolidation makes 90 4-10 per cent., leaving 9 6-10 per cent still to go forward, and also nine-tenths of the crop has, therefore, been reported in sight or is in small stocks, unreported, in the hands of country merchants or in transitu.

The State averages are as follows: Virginia, 87; North Carolina, 89; South Carolina, 90; Georgia, 90; Florida, 93; Alabama, 90; Mississippi, 91; Louisiana, 89; Texas, 92; Arkansas, 90; Tennessee, 87.

The average date of close of picking is about the same as last year in Georgia, Mississippi, Louisiana and Tennessee. It is earlier in the Carolinas, Florida and Arkansas, and later in Alabama and Texas. The average of the county dates is December 12th, ranging from December to January.

The proportion of seed sold to oil mills has been found difficult to estimate, but is apparently not much over 25 per cent. of the crop. The largest proportion reported is in Louisiana, followed by Georgia, Arkansas, Texas, Mississippi, Alabama and the Carolinas. The average State price, as consolidated, are:—the Carolinas and Georgia, eighteen cents per bushel; Tennessee, seventeen cents; Florida, sixteen cents; Alabama and Mississippi, fifteen cents; Louisiana, fourteen cents; Texas and Arkansas, thirteen cents.

The returns of quality are high, except in Virginia and North Carolina, and in Tennessee and Arkansas. It is superior in all the States of the Gulf coast. The percentage of lint from seed cotton is as follows: Virginia, 30; North Carolina, 31½; South Carolina, 32 3-10; Georgia, 32 1-5; Florida, 32 3-10; Alabama, 32½; Mississippi, 32 3-10; Louisiana, 32½; Texas, 32 4-10, Arkansas, 32 1-15; Tennessee, 32.

The damage by insects was greatest in Arkansas and Texas. In Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee and North Carolina it was general, but less severe in Georgia and South Carolina. The loss from the boll worm in Georgia, Alabama and Texas is greater than that from the caterpillar.

### Where the Wild Storms are Born that Wreck and Rend.

We know something of ourselves, of the average man, of his thoughts, passions, fears and aspirations; something of his sorrows and his joys, his weakness, his liability to fall; something of what he resists—the struggles, the victories and the failures of his life. We know something of the tides and currents of the mysterious sea, something of the circuits of the wayward winds; but we do not know where the wild storms are born that wreck and rend. Neither do we know in what strange realm the mists and clouds are formed that darken all the heaven of the mind, nor whence comes the tempest of the brain in which the will to do, sudden as the lightning's flash, seizes and holds a man until the dreadful deed is done that leaves a curse upon the soul. We do not know. Our ignorance should make us merciful. I cannot more fittingly close this address than by quoting the prayer of the Buddhist: "I pray thee to have pity on the vicious; thou hast already had pity on the virtuous by making them so."

### The State of New York.

The Troy (N. Y.) *Press* makes the point that the stories of rapid growth of population in the West are more than matched in the Empire State. The census to be taken this year will show that the population of the State of New York is about 6,000,000. The rate of development of the upper portion of the city of New York is wonderful. In Brooklyn there have been erected within the past year houses for the accommodation of 60,000 people, and the population of the city now verges upon 900,000.

The ambition of youth looks forward to the triumphs of age, while sainted age turns back a very longing, wistful eye along the rosy path of youth.

### HUSBANDS AT HOME.

#### How to Keep Them There at Nights.

Raleigh Call.]

Some time ago Messrs. W. H. & R. S. Tucker, of Raleigh, offered through the *Call* to give a handsome twenty-five dollar tea gown to the lady who would write the best recipe for keeping husbands at home. The unique proposition brought many replies from ladies of five different States and from all sections of North Carolina.

A special committee of three gentlemen took the recipes last night, and spent several hours examining them, with a view to selecting the best, the writer of which will receive the prize. The following are from among over one hundred replies:

Wives, you are asking for a recipe to keep your husbands at home, but I think it had ought to be the reverse—that your husbands should be asking for recipes to keep their wives at home. Most any husband will become more of less accustomed to private home-life accordingly as his wife is. You have been out in the broad world and chose for yourself a mate; now be content to dwell with your choice one in seclusion from public gaze. Don't imagine there is no real happiness for you except in the outside frolicing and gossiping world. Private home is your sphere. Your chief happiness lies in the actions of your husbands, that in a measure are simply the result of your own actions. Let the company of your husbands and that of your children, if any you have, be sufficient for you at all times. Let things at home work in such a way as to impress your husband with the belief that you always want to be at home, and that you always want him there too. Never serve a meal before your husbands come, unless they are not looked for. Wait upon them yourselves, and always appear happiest in their presence. Meet them with an affectionate greeting. Present them every night with a diary of all that took place around their home during the day, and get them in the habit of nightly telling you all the news of the day, all that happened to them in every way. You may lead them to do many things to your will, but you needn't try to drive them anywhere. Submit to their ruling. Always make them help you in your work when they are about.

Try to trap a star; try to carve the highest peak of the Rocky Mountyins into a statue with a pen knife; try to harness a comet to your carriage; try to give the whale a home in a raindrop; try to dam the Mississippi with a pipe stem; try to fresco your parlor with a rainbow; try to fetter the perfumes of earth's fairest flowers with a golden curl; try to catch the cataract of Niagara in a rose leaf; try to make man as faithful as a dog, and noble and strong as a woman; try to do anything most rare, but do not try to give an infallible recipe for "keeping a husband at home at night."

I believe men have their own sweet will like we have, though not so much is said about theirs. If they wanted to go you couldn't stop them, unless at supper you are very sweet and gracious to them, and put a dose of ipecac in their coffee. Soon after supper he will begin to feel very miserable, worse and worse. After he has gotten a little better, give him another dose of ipecac; tell him it is something that will settle him. And if it don't settle him at home I can't imagine what will sympathize with him. Repeat the dose as often as you want him home at nights.

Bathe him in his wife's tears. Crown him with her love. Fetter him with his children's caresses. Let his fire-side be a rock of rest and safety from the billows of life, and if these fail nail down the windows. Lock the doors. Let his mother-in-law circulate around generally with all the keys in her pocket, and when he attempts to go, paralyze him with her eye, and stab him with her tongue. He will remain home at night.

One pound of tidiness in person and house; one pound of submission; one pound of cheerfulness, even if there is no meal in the gum; one pound of contentment—with the old hat and dress; eight ounces of keep your tounge still. Mix well together and flavor highly with pure christian religion and a little self-sacrifice. Bake it in the oven of patience over the fire of love. I have tried the above for sixteen years, and know from experience it will not fail.

My idea is that no known means will keep a husband home at night, unless that husband be a corpse. The above refers to men born of a determination to go out.

Get full control of his heart, keep him in love with you, be womanly, make yourself so agreeable and your home so pleasant that he can't find any place so pleasant as home.

Make home attractive, talk politics and horses, "love his dog." When he makes a mistake, or a bad bargain, never say, "I told you so."

### Curious Needles and Sewing.

One of the oldest arts in the world is that of sewing. Bone needles have been found among the oldest remains of the Swiss lake dwellings and in the caves of France and Great Britain which were frequented by man during the Reindeer age. Some of these early needles were perforated in the middle, which was the thickest part, and others were pierced at the larger end. A French cavern has yielded needles much superior to those of the ancient Gauls, and also to the ivory needles of the modern Esquimaux, special skill having been applied to the boring of the eyes, which must have been done with a fine flint drill. The Swiss lake-dwellers used linen thread or bark fibre for sewing, and made garments from woven fabrics of linen and bark, as well as from the skins of animals. The cave people employed a thread made from split tendons, and the fineness of some of their needles has suggested the probability that they performed more delicate work than the sewing of skins.

### None Claimed It.

An enviable quickness of repartee was shown by a French actor when the head of a goose was thrown up the stage. Advancing to the foot-lights, he said: "If any gentleman among you has lost his head I shall be glad to restore it at the conclusion of the piece."

### How Nickels and Pennies are Made.

The copper used in the manufacture of pennies is of the very best quality. The metal is shipped in bulk from the mines to the factories of Merchant & Co., Connecticut. There it is rolled and stamped out in circles of the requisite size. These circles are perfectly plain, with the exception of the raised or milled edge. At this stage the pieces intended for pennies are as bright as gold pieces, while those intended for nickels resemble highly polished silver. In this condition they are delivered to the mints. Of course, it is absolutely necessary that all the pieces should be of uniform size and weight. The transfer from the factory to the mint is made, and the number of pieces in a package is reckoned by its weight. To find out how many small coins the amount of nickel and copper contracted for at present will make, multiply the number of pounds of copper by 100 and the number of pounds of nickel by 70. This calculation will show that the metal now about to be made up into coin will make about 35,000 nickels and 100,000 pennies. One hundred pennies, therefore, weigh exactly one pound. When these pieces reach the mint they are subjected to the finishing process, which consists in stamping them with the proper denomination, lettering and characters seen on the coins when they reach the public. To accomplish this great pressure is needed, as the pieces are not heated again after leaving the factory. The amount of impression required is simply enormous, considering the size of the pieces. The copper pennies require a pressure of ten tons avoirdupois, while with the nickel pieces it is necessary to put on a pressure of from twelve to fifteen tons.

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The undersigned would respectfully announce to the public generally that they have on hand and for sale at their stables in this city a fine lot of HORSES and MULES suitable for farm purposes, driving, draying, &c. First-class Livery also furnished at short notice. BEVILL & VANSTORY,
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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....FEBRUARY 27, 1890.


*THE WORLD'S FAIR.*

Great is Chicago of the West, and supreme now is the exultation of its people. They have carried off the World's Fair from all competitors, and we may expect such an exposition in 1892 as will be in all respects worthy of the wealth, development and progress of this great republic.

The citizens of the city of New York have only themselves to blame for their defeat in this matter, which it is natural to suppose that they had deeply at heart. They have been dilly-dallying, squabbling and boasting—and the consequence was not difficult to foresee. When the New Yorkers get to heaven (if New Yorkers ever go to heaven) Tammany, Irving Hall, etc., will doubtless be wrangling around outside the gates as to who shall go in first, while their more sensible brethren are enjoying the harps and the golden streets inside.

Foreigners coming here in 1892 strictly as exhibitors would doubtless have preferred New York, as they would have been spared the trouble and expense of transporting their wares into the interior, but the stranger whose visit is to be one of pleasure and quest of information of the resources, customs and mode of life of the New World will rejoice at the opportunity presented of traversing a portion of the vast territory from the boundless capabilities of which Americans are eliminating a brilliant destiny. The great railway lines, too, will reap a golden harvest; and, as they are powerful factors in the promotion of general prosperity, there will be no objection to their good fortune.

In the meantime, the Quakers over in Philadelphia are not saying a word: they "have already had the measles." You can't get a barkeeper to drink his own liquor or a doctor to take his own medicine—Philadelphia has "been there," so far as expositions are concerned.

There is one good thing about New York's eclipse: it sends Mr. Platt to political "Coventry," and the date of his return is very uncertain.

*THE LEE MONUMENT.*

It is announced that the dedicatory ceremonies of the Lee Monument at Richmond are to be postponed for two weeks, that an opportunity may be afforded to Generals Beauregard and Early to participate therein.

Can it be possible that a nation's tribute to the memory of its most dearly loved and honored chieftain is to be stayed in deference to the Louisiana Lottery? These two distinguished ex-Confederates have tears to shed over the grave of their departed leader, but first they must rattle the bones and turn the wheel in a grand gift enterprise concern—deemed so pernicious by the conservators of order and morals that it is denied by law a place in the columns of the press, and is forbidden the use of the mails for the transmission of its specious and insidious appeals to a credulous public. The illustrious services of Beauregard and Early in the field under Lee make it eminently fitting that they be present at the unveiling of the monument to the great Virginian; but there are those who will think that if they cannot, like others, subordinate their private business to the exigencies of so august an occasion—and especially such a business as now engages their attention—their attendance might possibly be dispensed with.

*ENORMOUS PRIVATE FORTUNES.*

John Jacob Astor has just died in New York city, leaving a fortune of $150,000,000, to which immense wealth his son, William Waldorf Astor, ex-Minister to Italy, is heir. The founder of this colossal estate was old John Jacob Astor, the fur-trader, who commenced life on $2 a week, and even from this pittance managed to lay by the nucleus of his future opulence.

The Astors believed in brick and mortar as an investment of their vast gains, and were, with the possible exception of the Duke of Westminster, perhaps the most extensive householders in the world. They were always buying, but were rarely known to sell a piece of property.

Without posing as philanthropists, the Astors were not without benevolence, and numerous important organized charities have been the better for their benefactions. Their great public gift, the Astor Library, cost over $1,000,000.

*ISSUES OF THE DAY.*

Suppose George Vanderbilt, the millionaire, should offer a million of dollars to locate the Baptist female College on the sand-banks off Hatteras. According to the theory advanced by some of the provincial papers, the offer should be accepted, and the young ladies be taught the scientific trade of catching "sand-fiddlers."—*Raleigh Evening Visitor.*

We hope Durham, Oxford and Greensboro don't feel bad.

THE "Pan Handle" district is well blessed with Congressional timber, and there will be some lively "crossing of swords" therein before the leaves fall again, as the following candidates have been duly enrolled as applicants for Col Rowland's shoes, with Wilmington to hear from: Col. Paul B. Means, of Cabarrus; Alexander, Jones, Dowd, McDowell and Osborne, of Mecklenburg; Hon. Jas. A. Lockhart, of Anson; D. H. Covington, of Richmond; J. T. LeGrand and Col. Alfred Rowland, of Robeson. What about the handsome and gifted R. E. Little, of Wadesboro, and the knightly, able and eloquent Sam Pemberton, of Albemarle? The number in this district has already increased to seven, with a "few more townships to hear from."

**Personal Pencilings.**

Mr. Archie McDuffie is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

Maj. A. A. McKethan has been North a few days, and returned this week.

Capt. Wm. Black, of Maxton, was here a short while Tuesday.

Mr. Alex. McNeill, of Wade, brother to our townsman, Dr. J. W. McNeill, made us a pleasant visit Friday of last week.

Mr. H. R. Novitzky has returned from a trip North in the interests of his extensive clothing business in this city.

Mr. John Roddick and lady have arrived in the city where they will be accorded a hearty welcome by our people.

Devout thankfulness is the universal sentiment throughout the community at the intelligence that Rev. Dr. J. C. Huske may now be considered convalescent.

Maj. W. E. Kyle, the polite and gentlemanly Freight and Passenger Agent of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., returned last week from a brief business trip to Wilmington.

Judge McRae returned from Johnston county Superior court on Saturday evening, and went to Raleigh on Monday, where he will hold Superior Court of Wake county.

Mr. Edward McDuffie, now of Sulphur Springs, Texas, is visiting his former home. He has our sincere sympathy in the sore affliction recently sustained in the loss of his lovely little daughter.

Mr. Kirkland Huske, now with Brown & Roddick, of Wilmington, but a native Fayettevillian, spent last Sunday with his many friends in Fayetteville, returning to the "City by the Sea" on the excursion Monday morning.

It gives us pleasure to shake hands with Mr. Chas. Marsh, well-known among railroad men, and now on line between Goldsboro and Richmond, *via* Greensboro. He is at home for only a day or two, and is looking well.

Dr. Francis B. Bishop, a prominent physician and specialist of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, of New Hanover county, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Silas Sheetz. Dr. Bishop left for Washington yesterday morning.

Capt. W. S. Kingsbury places us under frequent obligations with interesting Boston papers. He is proud of the æsthetic and literary culture of the "Hub," from some of the first men of which he has very complimentary letters to leading politicians and other prominent citizens of the South.

Prof. W. A. Blair, President of the People's National Bank of Winston, and Mr. S. A. Kerr, of Greensboro, dined at the Hotel LaFayette here Monday, en route to Wilmington, where they go to attend the State Sunday School Convention. They were accompanied by others from further west.

Miss Maggie Pemberton, one of the most charming and accomplished of the young ladies of Fayetteville, is making a visit with her friend, Miss Nellie Waddell, of Smithfield, of whom the social circle and the lovers of music of this community will ever cherish a grateful and pleasing remembrance.

Mr. G. W. Williams, of Wilmington, made us a pleasant call while on a flying trip to this city last week, during which time he gave us some interesting pen pictures of the past. Mr. Williams was a resident of Fayetteville for nearly a quarter of a century, and naturally maintains a peculiar admiration for the Capital City of the upper Cape Fear and her hospitable and homogeneous citizens.

**Thanks.**

Mr. A. D. McGill requests us to return the thanks of the people of 71st, in attendance upon the Sunday School Convention here last week, to the people of Fayetteville for the cordial manner in which they were entertained and the hospitalities showered upon them during their stay in our midst.

**Good Road-Bed.**

We have never ridden over a new railroad where the run was smoother and more agreeable than that on the eastern extension of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway—speaking well for the excellence and durability of construction.

**Look Out for Next Week.**

Rosenthal's C. O. D. Clothing store will have a very attractive story to tell our readers next week of one of the most complete stocks of goods ever brought to this market.

**Roanoke & Southern R. R.**

Winston Sentinel.]

A special from Rocky Mount, Va., says: Col. Fries, President of the Virginia and North Carolina Construction Company, was in town court-day sounding the people of Franklin with reference to the proposed subscription of $75,000 to the Roanoke & Southern Railroad. He says that he found the people generally in favor of the subscription under the conditions proposed. A large and enthusiastic railroad meeting was held in the court-house last night, at which Judge G. D. Peters presided. The bill recently passed by the General Assembly allowing the people to vote on the proposed subscription was read, as was also an order of Franklin county court fixing the date of the election on March 20th. The order requires the company to complete the road through the county a distance of thirty miles before any county bonds shall be issued. The company proposes to pay the tax on their road as required by law, at the rate of $15,000 per mile, which with a sinking fund they create will pay off the bonds in thirty-five years. In other words, Franklin county gets thirty miles of a trunk line of railroad through the heart of the country without the expenditure of one dollar. Our people are jubilant over the prospect, and the subscription will be voted.

**Manchester Cullings.**

For the Observer.]

I have been away for ten days to the garden spot of South Carolina; I visited right in the community where that premium corn was raised—perhaps you all have not heard of it. Mr. Drake, who resides in Marlboro county, near Blenheim, raised two hundred and fifty-four bushels and forty-odd pounds of corn on one acre of land, securing the different prizes offered, amounting to $1,300. It is a fine farming country, and healthy, wealthy, happy, educated people dwell within its borders. Their names are synonyms with hospitality. Lovely homes, fine stock and broad well-tilled fields, with well-dressed people, denote progress in every worthy undertaking. Pianos and organs in every parlor, fine horses in every stable, crowds of lovely children in every home, make visiting in their midst agreeable beyond measure. St. Valentine and Cupid are not old fashioned forgotten guests, but made charming calls the night of the 14th, and held high carnival at the residence of Mrs. Dr. McLeod, where they were royally welcomed by many hearts. I have not had time to hunt up the news, but have culled a few items with half an effort.

Logs on a boom—keep the saw humming, hearts light and faces bright.

Mr. Hazy, of Philadelphia, dined with his friend, Mr. Steinhilper, Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Haigh and Miss Sue came out Tuesday to see Mrs. C. W. Huske.

Miss Katie Elliott has been visiting her brother and family.

Mr. A. H. Slocomb made a tour of business out here a few days ago.

Mrs. Klarpp, from Robeson county, has been to see her brother, Mr. Egbert Pierce.

Miss Frieda Buhman (Beeman) made a short call on her father, who manages the S. L. Co's. mill here, last Saturday. Mr. Fred Buhman spent Sunday in Jonesboro.

The fox hunters spent one week here; caught a fox every day. They say they will return next fall and stay longer.

Mr. Steinhilper will go to New Berne and return to Fayetteville next week, bringing his family with him, to make your town their permanent home. Wish it was out here.

Mrs. Henry Robinson came out Wednesday to visit Mrs. A. K. McDiarmid.

Several Northern men have been out to see Mr. Steinhilper recently. BON AMI.

**The New Berne Fair.**

NEW BERNE, N. C., Feb'y 24.—The Fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Association will be formally opened to-morrow by Gov. Fowle, who arrived to-night. The new grounds and buildings are in perfect order, and are well filled with a handsome display of the various resources of this country. New Berne and its fine truck farms around are just now beautiful, and all who come will enjoy it. Wednesday and Friday will be big days, and large crowds are expected.

**The Equestrian Statue of General Robert E. Lee Completed.**

RICHMOND, VA., Feb'y 21.—The bronze equestrian statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee, by Mercie, the French sculptor, has been completed, and is ready to be turned over to the Monument Association. The committee have selected Col. C. P. E. Burgwynne, of this city, to go to Paris and inspect the statue. Col Burgwynne will sail from New York March 1st for Paris to carry out the duty with which he has been entrusted. In deference, it is understood, to the wishes of Gen. Jubal A. Early, the unveiling of the monument has been postponed from May 15th to the 29th. That gentleman, who is said to be the largest contributor to the monument fund, was anxious to be present on the occasion, and to enable him and Gen. Beauregard to do so the postponement was agreed to.

**MARRIED.**

TRULOVE—EVANS—At Idaho, N. C., February 6th, 1890, by Rev. T. P. Barclay, Mr. R. L. TRULOVE, of Maxton, N. C., and Miss SUE D. EVANS, daughter of Mrs. M. H. Evans.

**FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| N. C. BACON— | | FODDER, | 75 |
| Hog Round, | 7 | HIDES— | |
| Sides, | 7 | Flint—good, | 6 |
| Hams, | 11 | Flint—damaged, | 5 |
| WEST. BULK MEATS— | | Dry Salt, | 7 |
| Sides, | 6 | Green, | 3 |
| Shoulders, | 5 | IRON— | |
| WESTERN BACON— | | American, | 3 |
| Sides, | 6¼ | Swedes, | 5@6 |
| Hams, | 16 | LARD— | |
| Shoulders, | 8½ | N. Carolina, | 10 |
| BAGGING, | 11½@13 | Western, | 9 |
| BEEF— | | LEATHER— | |
| On foot, | 3 | Upper, country, | 35@40 |
| Dressed, | 5@6 | Sole, Hemlock, | 25@27 |
| BEESWAX, | 18 | Harness, c'ntry, | 25@30 |
| BUTTER— | | MOLASSES, | 25@40 |
| North Carolina, | 20@25 | NAILS— | |
| Northern, | 25@35 | (12d basis), | 2.50 |
| COFFEE— | | PORK— | |
| Java, | 25 | Fresh, | 5@6 |
| Rio, | 18@22 | Mess, | (None.) |
| COTTON YARN, | 85@95 | POTATOES— | |
| COTTON TIES, | 1.25 | Sweet—new, | 50 |
| CHICKENS, | 10@20 | Irish—o | 1.00 |
| EGGS | 10 | SALT, | 95 |
| FLOUR— | | SUGARS— | |
| N. C. Family, | None.] | Coffee, | 7 |
| West. Fam., | 5.00@6.00 | Granulated, | 9 |
| CORN MEAL— | 60 | SHEETINGS, | 5½ |
| GRAIN— | | SHUCKS, | 50 |
| Corn—new. | 50 | TALLOW, | 4 |
| Oats, | 40 | WOOL, | 18 |
| Rye, | 90 | SPIRITS— | |
| Peas, | 75 | Corn Whisky, | 1.75@2.00 |
| HAY— | | Rye Whisky, | 1.75@3.00 |
| N. Carolina, | 40@60 | Ap. Brandy, | 1.75@3.00 |
| Northern, | 1 00 | Peh Brandy, | 1.75@3.00 |

**[Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market.**

*Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.*

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|---|---|
| Good Middling | 10¼ |
| Middling | 10¼ |
| Strict Low Middling | 10¼ |

Turpentine, $1.30 to $2.30 per barrel
NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 38½ cents
Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 70 to 2.00 for common.

**Wilmington Market.**

WILMINGTON, N. C. February 26, 4:00 P. M.
COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 10¼ cents for Middling.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market steady at 40 cents per gallon.
ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 1 10 cents per bbl. for Strained and $1.15 for Good Strained.
TAR—Firm $1.45.
TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $2.20 for Virgin and Yellow dip and $1.20 for Hard.
Norfolk, Cotton steady at 10, basis Middling
New York, Cotton quiet and middling quoted at 10 9-16.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker-Mouth. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'r Drug Store.

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RINGWOOD, N. C., May 2, 1887.

MRS. JOE PERSON—*Dear Madam:*—Most gladly do I give you my name to place before the public, bearing testimony to the miraculous *cure* effected on me by your most valuable Remedy. Fifteen years ago I was troubled by what seemed to be little scales appearing on the right side of my cheek, under the eye, resembling dry meal bran, which I could remove when I shaved, but they would return again in a short time. Soon an enlargement appeared under the same eye, attended with itching and burning sensations, and sharp, darting pains from the affected place to the eye, causing great difficulty in closing the eye, even to sleep. Sometimes it would feel better, but never at any time disappear. Some physicians pronounced it eczema, others chronic erysipelas, and all advised me *to let it alone.* This I did until two years ago, when a little scab began to form right under the eye, resembling a wart, which I could not remove; in size and appearance it soon grew to be as large as a strawberry, and the scabs came off and left the place entirely raw. Having fear of a cancer, I began to use various kinds of salves to heal it up, but never could. I consulted with physicians of great experience; they said it looked suspicious of it, and advised me to have it cut or burnt out at once. I did not wish to do either; and being persuaded it was in my blood, I resolved to try your Remedy, as it had been recommended to me. I did so with the most happy results. I can say *I am a well man.* I cannot say too much for your Remedy; it is worth its weight in gold. Before I had used one bottle I was hopeful, and at the expiration of five weeks the sore was entirely healed, the scales or roughness of the skin all gone, and left me a new man I will give any one similarly affected any further information they may desire, and can only say, if the public will give your Remedy a trial, it will speak for itself, and your success will know no bounds. God speed the day that must dawn upon your future prosperity! Yours most truly,

JAS. CARTER ARRINGTON.

My Remedy is now put in plain, round, pint packing bottles, no name blown. The carton holding bottle is now printed altogether in black ink instead of black and red as heretofore; my signature on each label is now written with pen and ink, instead of lithographed as formerly. Every label and carton numbered, as in physicians' prescriptions. The Wash packages are printed altogether in black ink and numbered. Persons buying the Remedy should see that the new style is furnished them, as I cannot guarantee any other to be genuine. MRS. JOE PERSON,
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☞ This Remedy is for sale by Fayetteville Druggists.
Feb'y 27, 1890. 2t

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If you are not fully and profitably employedy ou will find it greatly to your interest to at once write to B. F. JOHNSON & Co., Richmond, Va., and make arrangements with them to sell their great new book, the "Memorial Volume of Jefferson Davis; or, The World's Tribute to His Memory." They will give you liberal terms. Prospectus with all necessary papers only one dollar. That is all the capital that is needed. Splendid opening for ladies and gentlemen.

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**In effect February 16th, 1890.**

NORTH BOUND.

| | Daily Except Sunday. No. 1. | Daily Except Sunday. No. 3. | Daily Except Sunday. No. 15. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Leave Wilmington, | 9:40 a m | | |
| Arrive Fayetteville, | 1:45 p m | | |
| Leave Fayetteville, | 2:15 p m | | |
| Leave Sanford, | 3:53 p m | | |
| Arrive Greensboro, | 6:40 p m | | |
| Leave Greensboro, | 7:10 p m | | |
| Leave Walnut Cove, | 8:43 p m | | |
| Arrive Mt. Airy, | 10:45 p m | | |
| Leave Bennettsville, | | 9:00 a m | |
| Arrive Maxton, | | 10:13 a m | |
| Leave Maxton, | | 10:25 a m | |
| Arrive Fayetteville, | | 12:30 p m | |
| Leave Millboro, | | | 7:25 a m |
| Arrive Greensboro, | | | 9:00 a m |
| Leave Greensboro, | | | 10:10 a m |
| Arrive Madison, | | | 12:35 p m |

SOUTH BOUND

| | Daily Except Sunday. No. 2. | Daily Except Sunday. No. 4. | Daily Except Sunday. No. 16. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Leave Mt. Airy, | 5:45 a m | | |
| Arrive Greensboro, | 9:15 a m | | |
| Leave Greensboro, | 9:50 a m | | |
| Leave Sanford, | 12:33 p m | | |
| Arrive Fayetteville, | 2:10 p m | | |
| Leave Fayetteville, | 2:40 p m | | |
| Arrive Wilmington, | 6:45 p m | | |
| Leave Fayetteville, | | 3:15 p m | |
| Arrive Maxton, | | 5:07 p m | |
| Leave Maxton, | | 5:20 p m | |
| Arrive Bennettsville, | | 6:35 p m | |
| Leave Madison, | | | 1:40 p m |
| Arrive Greensboro, | | | 4:00 p m |
| Leave Greensboro | | | 4:40 p m |
| Arrive Millboro, | | | 6:55 p m |

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When you want the MOST and best goods for the LEAST money, just step into these stores, and you will find any and everything you can wish for in the line of seasonable GROCERIES, FINE CANNED GOODS, Etc. It will pay you to take a look at this stock of goods, even if you do not wish to buy.

We can furnish you with the Best and also the Cheapest Flours on the Market, and guarantee to give you the most perfect satisfaction for the money.
Feb'y 20, 1890. tf

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—EXCEPT THE—

**C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE.**

**Our New Year Clearing Sales**

ARE FILLING BUYERS WITH ASTONISHMENT AND DELIGHT AT THE

**Extraordinary Bargains**

—OFFERED IN ALL OUR LINES OF GOODS. "SUCH BEAUTIFUL—

**Men's, Youths' and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Underwear and Furnishing Goods---**

ALL OFFERED AT SUCH PRICES AS I NEVER HEARD OF BEFORE" EXCLAIMS THE GRATIFIED CUSTOMER.

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**"MERE SONG?"**

WE MUST *MAKE ROOM* FOR OUR

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OUR MR. ROSENTHAL IS NOW IN THE NORTHERN MARKETS CATERING TO THE WANTS AND TASTES OF PATRONS OF THE C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE.

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**MUST BE CLEARED.**

THIS MEANS WHOLESALE SLAUGHTER IN PRICES TO US, BUT IT'S A

**BONANZA TO YOU.**

ENJOY IT WHILE YOU MAY.

J. R. RUBINSTEIN, MANAGER. G. ROSENTHAL.

**"GIT THAR! ELI."**

**Yes, Eli, and bring your wife with you.**

**THE RACKET STORE**

is the place for you to go if you want the worth of your money. We are daily receiving BARGAINS from the large northern cities, and we offer them to you at a

**GREAT REDUCTION.**

Don't throw away your money paying high prices and big profits, when you can get what you want at the Racket so cheap. Another thing, Eli, cash is very scarce this year, and a dollar should go a long way, but at no place will it buy more than

**AT THE RACKET.**

Jan'y 16, 1890.

**Dissolution of Copartnership.**

The copartnership existing between Mrs. S. G. Ayer and Miss Jane McKenzie having been dissolved, the undersigned will now conduct the Bakery and Confectionery Business at the old stand on Green street. Thanking the public for their past patronage, and asking for a continuance of the same, she is prepared to furnish fresh Bread, Cakes, Pies, Buns, also a full line of Confectioneries and Toys and Fancy Groceries, all of which will be sold for cash

JANE M. McKENZIE.
Jan'y 16, 1890. 1m

**Tax Notice.**

All delinquents are hereby notified that longer indulgence cannot be given in regard to taxes. Immediate payment is required to save costs. H. C. FISHER, Sheriff
of Cumberland County.
Jan'y 9, 1890. tf

**Littleton Female College.**

Littleton Female College is in a highly prosperous condition and is one of the most successful schools in the State. It has a splendid location, a strong Faculty and is doing very thorough work. The Spring Term begins January 20, 1890.
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Fayetteville, N. C., October 8, 1889.—[1y

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A SIX ROOM DWELLING HOUSE on Haymount, in a good and healthy neighborhood, with stables and all other necessary outhouses; well of water on the lot convenient to the house. The property is known as the Ray or Worth place. Persons wishing to examine or buy will apply to

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## TOWN AND COUNTY.

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W. G. THORNTON—Bunch of Keys.
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B. E. SEDBERRY & SON—The Wonderful Panacea Water.
A. VENDEL—Try Vendel's Herb Juice for Malaria, Chills and Fever

**Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.**

The Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of North Carolina will meet in Wilmington in May next.

**Two New Engines.**

Two new engines have recently been added to the rolling stock of the C. F. & Y. V. Company, fresh from the shops.

**Very Handsome.**

The office of Mr. Howell, of the Southern Express Company, has been provided with a new covered delivery wagon—so elegant and stylish an affair that we would like to get the driving of it when the first vacancy occurs.

**Translate It.**

The Latin words given below, translated into English, make a line of a refrain very popular on the other side during the war, which of the boys and girls of the graded school can give the translation?

Qui crudus enim lectus, albus et spiravit.

**This Tells.**

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway bonds are quoted in the Baltimore money market at 2 per cent. premium.

This little three-line item is more eloquent than one of Spurgeon's sermons—a volume in itself, pregnant with the bright future of the line. In less than five years it will be the greatest and most important road in the South.

**Sad Death.**

Miss Nannie Myrick, a young lady of Randleman, Randolph county, N. C., who came to this city as an operative in the Fayetteville Cotton Mills, died at the Fair Grounds, of pneumonia, on Friday evening, 21st inst., aged 18 years. Her remains were conveyed to her former home by the west-bound Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley train on Saturday last.

**Of Colonial Days.**

North Carolinians of literary taste and culture will be glad to learn that Hon. A. M. Waddell will soon have issued from the publishing-house of Messrs. Edwards & Broughton, Raleigh, N. C., a work treating of the Colonial days of North Carolina. Whatever its character, it will be received with interest and pleasure by the reading public, for Col. Waddell is as polished and trenchant with the pen as he is graceful and eloquent on the rostrum or the stump.

**River and Harbor Improvements.**

We have recently had the pleasure of reading the able and comprehensive report of Capt. Bixby, chief engineer in charge of the improvements of the Cape Fear river, appended to which is also the report of Mr. H. G. Myrover, with topographic and geodetic map accompanying, of his work at Shallotte during last autumn. As far as we are competent to pronounce judgment in the matter, the map evinces care, accuracy and efficiency in the work in hand.

**Giving Him His Due.**

There is a dear old lady of our acquaintance within whose gentle heart charity ever blooms for the worst of us, and for all the foibles of poor humanity she has a mildly deprecating and indulgent word, while, like Cordelia's, "her voice is ever soft and low." The other evening in the social circle the character of the devil was brought under discussion, and the old gentleman naturally got some pretty hard raps. This sweet home optimist sat silent for some time, but at last she said, hesitatingly—

"Well, there is one thing can be said for him: he's mighty industrious!"

**Stedman.**

The first station out from Fayetteville on the Wilmington extension—and, in fact, the only one in Cumberland county east of the river bridge—is at the point known as Blockersville, and promises to be one of the thriving places on the line of road. It receives its name in honor of the venerable and lamented Nathan Stedman, father of ex-Lieutenant Governor Stedman, and for many years Treasurer of the Western Railroad and afterwards Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway; its establishment is in large measure due to the efforts and public spirit of Messrs. Kelly and David Sessoms, two of the most substantial and esteemed citizens of Cumberland county, who have made valuable concessions in right of way, etc., together with contributions in erection of depot.

**A Magnificent Bequest.**

The late E. J. Lilly left by the provisions of his will the sum of $5,000 to the Hay Street Methodist church—a liberal bequest in unison with the generosity which marked his devotion to the cause of christianity and the interests of vital godliness during an honored and useful life.

**A Change is Badly Needed.**

A petition, signed by every business man in town, has been forwarded to the authorities of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad Company, with request that a change be made in the present schedule in effect on the Bennettsville division of this line so that the passenger and mail train may arrive here earlier and depart later. Say leave Bennettsville in the morning at 8 o'clock, arrive in Fayetteville at eleven instead of 12:30, as is the case at present. Also change the hour of departure for Beanettsville from 3:15 to 4 o'clock. Such a schedule would give all passengers south of Fayetteville about five hours in this city, ample time in which to do all there shopping and banking. As it is, the train arrives here at 12:30 and leaves again at 3:15, allowing only two hours and three-quarters to remain over here—Fayetteville being the grand trade centre of a very large territory south of here, extending to and beyond the South Carolina line as well as north, east and west. Such a schedule as the one in effect at present must prove detrimental to the mercantile interests of the city; an interest which the OBSERVER is unwilling to see suffer or crippled in any way, and which we believe the C. F. & Y. V. Company would not permit, should the fact be made known to the proper authorities. We therefore confidently believe that a change for the better will be made as early as practicable.

**Gibson Lodge, K. of P., No. 36.**

Gibson Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was organized at Gibson's Station, last Friday evening with twenty members, by Messrs. H. I. McDuffie, W. S. Cook, J. McK. Woodward, W. E. Sheetz and W. C. Breeden, of Cumberland Lodge, No. 5, K. of P., assisted by the Grand Chancellor, T. D. Meares, of Wilmington. Strange to say, out of a membership of twenty, eleven were Gibsons. The new Lodge starts out with a bright future to beckon it onward. The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year: F. B. Gibson, P. C.; W. J. Adams, C. C.; Jno. W. Gibson, V. C.; Rayford Gibson, P.; J. S. Pipkin, K. of R. and S.; F. L. Gibson, M. of A.; W. F. Gibson, M. of F.; Dr. N. M. McLean, M. of E.; T. M. Adams, I. G.; H. F. Gibson, O. G.

**Autryville.**

This station, on the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway between Fayetteville and Wilmington, bears the impress of thrift, life and energy naturally to be expected from its name—being the "stamping ground" of one of the most enterprising and progressive citizens of this section. Desirable real estate has been divided into convenient lots for building—in which Capt. A. B. Williams and others of our business men have made investments—and a town has been laid off in streets, squares, &c. It will probably prove one of the most important shipping points on the route.

**Will Fayetteville Embrace the Opportunity?**

The Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway is now bringing trains to the doors of our merchants from the wave-lashed piers of North Carolina's great sea-port and the rock-ribbed hills of the Blue Ridge. But it is pertinent to give here an earnest reminder to the business men of this community that they are confronted by an occasion in their commercial history where "all things *(do not)* come to him who waits;" on the contrary, it will prove an instance of Lethean philosophy where they will inevitably "get left."

This is the day of sharp and vigorous competition, full of stalwart arms to "strike while the iron's hot," alive with vigorous contestants in the stream of material advancement, and he who would keep "in the swim" must present a bold and aggressive front, or the sorry place of the drifter among the shoals and breakers outside will be his portion.

In our judgment, it would be difficult to overestimate the business and commercial advantages to accrue to Wilmington from the completion of this line—and this refined and whole-souled community of the tide-water section have our hearty congratulations upon their prospective good fortune—but certainly only culpable apathy and negligence will be chargeable with the failure of such a market as Fayetteville to take to itself many of the substantial benefits resulting from a railway connection which renders accessible an undeveloped country, while it opens a highway on to the great West. Our manufacturers and wholesale and retail dealers will have only themselves to blame if they fail to at least share in supplying the augmented and varied demands presented to them.

**Satisfies the Most Sanguine Expectations.**

In the opening of the Wilmington extension we are glad to know that the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, in its rapid progress in the development of one of the most important works of internal improvement in the South, has been rewarded by a very gratifying outcome of business. Timber, naval stores, merchandise and country produce await its freight trains at every station; material enterprise has received marked stimulus in every county traversed by the line; travel is good and daily increasing; and the experience of this admirable "North Carolina system," characterizing it since its first important movement forward in 1879, following nature's great highway of commerce, is today repeated in the business found ready to hand.

**FIRST EXCURSION TO WILMINGTON.**

**The Soldiers of the Two Cities Fraternize—Fair Women Grace the Occasion—Wilmington's Graceful Hospitality—Target Shooting, etc.**

The excursion given to Wilmington on Monday last by the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry—celebrating its semi-annual contest in marksmanship—was in every respect as thoroughly enjoyable as it was possible to be, and the returning train landed the pleasure-seekers at the home depot between 11 and 12 o'clock that night, who unanimously voted themselves "pretty well-fagged but completely happy."

At 8 A. M. the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, Capt. Jno. C. Vann commanding, marched from its armory to the depot, where 75 or 100 persons designing to participate in the pleasures of the day had already assembled, among whom, much to the gratification of all, were a number of charming ladies. Every station on to the party's destination furnished its complement of excursionists, until at Point Peter a very full train poured its stream of hurrying passengers over the gangways of the handsome ferry-boat *Compton*, Capt. Jas. C. Smith Captain, and demanded its utmost capacity from the upper to the lower deck.

At the company's depot on the other side of the river the Wilmington Light Infantry, accompanied by many of the citizens of the city, were drawn up in line to receive their guests, the battalion was formed, and, under command of Capt. Kenan, marched to the residence of Col. John L. Cantwell, where an elegant lunch—hot, fragrant coffee, sandwiches and other appetizing, toothsome viands—was served, with the gracious attendance of a bevy of very winsome, lovely women, the greater part of whom did the military and visitors the honor to join them in the pleasant ride to the Sound.

Just off the pavilion opposite Island Beach Hotel, and skirting the waters of the Sound, the target was set up—distance 200 yards, Creedmoor rules—and until 5:30 P. M. the two companies contended in generous and friendly emulation. Across the low-lying marshes, where the gleaming sands glanced like deep-set mirros in glad adoration of nature's entrancing beauties, sea-birds swooped and circled, impelling their ungainly bodies upward with a start at each puff of smoke and unechoing report of the marksman's gun, graceful white sails swept athwart the horizon's haze as the snowy wings of a dove in flight, while away out beyond the fume and fret of vexed breakers, hull down in the open sea, a stately three-masted schooner rose and fell as each tossing wave raced out in tumultuous welcome from a strange shore. What hours of delightful dreamy reverie, days of sensuous repose and languor, to the *insouciant* dweller by the sea, where—

"The winds never rest and the waves never sleep,
Where the storm-spirits vigils of death ever keep,
And the mermaid o'er victims unnumbered doth weep!"

Many—with no æsthetic longings evoked by glint of sail and boom of sounding beach, found "metal more attractive" in the restaurant attached to the pavilion, where roast oysters and other refreshment were hospitably served all day to guests. Large crowds took the train around the beach, enjoying a beautiful ocean view and another oyster roast on the sands.

With a score of 21 Mr. Jennings Pemberton won the 1st prize in the Independent Company, a beautiful bronze clock; for the 2nd prize, an elegant silk umbrella, Mr. E. L. Pemberton and Mr. J. W. Tomlinson tied on a score of 19—Mr. Pemberton winning on the second trial of skill by a score of 21. These handsome awards were made to their visitors by the Wilmington Light Infantry. Mr. B. R. Costin, by a score of 18, won the handsome silver pitcher—awarded to one never before having won a prize. In the Wilmington Light Infantry, Capt. W. G. Kenan, by a score of 16, was the recipient of the 1st prize, a case with richly-chased fish knife and fork of silver; Mr. W. L. Toomer's score of 15 carried off the 2nd prize, a china berry. bowl—these the offerings to their comrades by the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry.

Returning from the Hammocks about dusk, the battalion, under command of Col. W. C. Jones, marched from the 10th street station to the depot of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, where the prizes were presented in a few remarks by Mr. J H. Myrover, of Fayetteville.

The people of Wilmington are model entertainers. Not dependent upon the profusion of a "spread" or the ostentation of a reception—though in these particulars they are always elegant and princely—their hospitality is the spontaneous outflow of the hearts of refined and cultured Southern men and women.

Where kindness, cordiality and good fellowship did so abound, it was impossible to miss the friendly greeting and hearty hand-shake on all sides, but to Col. DeRosset, Lieut. Cronly and Messrs. Daniel, Frank Stedman and others we were especially indebted for courtesies.

The writer was the guest during the excursion of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, whose delicate attentions and courtesy are gratefully appreciated, and not for years has he more thoroughly enjoyed the pleasures of a day's "outing." The train was in charge of Capt. Wm. H. Pemberton, who had with him as engineer Mr. Jno. P. Monaghan—both excellent officials—and under their watchful care the trip was made pleasantly and comfortably, and without accident or unpleasant incident.

**Well, That Beats All.**

A young couple in Sampson county were married on Tuesday, 18th inst. The lady's name was Miss James Henry and that of the groom was Mr. Henry James. Talk about coincidences!

**Improvements Everywhere.**

The architect and contractor, the mason and carpenter, truly now find their "lines cast in pleasant places" with us, for the artisans' tools have no hours of idleness, each building, as construction goes on, having its tenant standing by, ready and eager to take possession on completion. The environs are steadily extending on all sides, and artistic taste is puzzled where to bestow the palm of beauty and elegance amid the strong claims of many of the suburban streets.

The new residence of Mr. Geo. P. McNeill on Rowan street is a model of elegance and completeness, and the dwelling which he has just completed adjoining is hardly inferior in taste and homelike comfort. As we have already stated, Capt. John B. Broadfoot is putting in shape several very desirable lots on the old arsenal grounds, and Mr. Jno. R. McNeill is preparing to build a home for his family on Haymount, opposite the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. E. F. Moore.

**Improving.**

Much anxiety was felt by his many friends in this community when information was received here of an accident, threatening to be serious in its results, which had befallen Rev. J. T. Gibbs, Presiding Elder of the Fayetteville District of the Methodist Church, on Wednesday, 19th inst. We are glad to know that, although suffering much, he is now believed to be out of danger. We extract the following from the Sanford *Express* of last Saturday:

Rev. J. T. Gibbs, the Presiding Elder of Fayetteville District, and Mr. A. W. Sloan, were thrown from their buggy on Wednesday by a runaway horse. The only injury Mr. Sloan sustained was the dislocation of his ankle, which was soon drawn to place. Mr. Gibbs received several gashes and a slight concussion of the brain. His condition up to Friday morning was regarded as serious, but he has recovered consciousness, and is now believed to be out of danger. He is resting at the home of Mrs. Catharine Bryan, and is receiving the best of attention. Rev. S. D. Adams and Rev. Frank Reid visited him on yesterday.

**The Tax on Fertilizers.**

It is stated that Col. John W. Hinsdale, an able lawyer of the city of Raleigh, will soon, as counsel of certain fertilizer dealers, make a test-case before the Supreme Court of the constitutionality of the tax imposed on these fertilizers sold within this State. They are, in themselves, so exhaustive a drain and so onerous a tax upon the farmers that they ought to be required to pay some compensating tribute for the immense amount of money they abstract from the general wealth of the State.

The fertilizer tax is the source of income provided for the maintenance of the Agricultural and Mechanical College; but, excepting some of the posphatic rock and Peruvian guano where accessible, we believe agriculture would in the end be infinitely better off without a pound of the worthless stuff put upon the market at high prices—the Agricultural and Mechanical College "to the contrary notwithstanding." Many a wagon load of mixed-up, valueless hotch-patch is hauled long distances and dumped out on fields lying in a stone's throw of the very best material for the manure pile and compost heaps.

**Seventy-First Lodge I. O. O. F., No. 133.**

Seventy-First Lodge I. O. O. F., No. 133, was instituted at Galatia, this county, on Thursday evening of the past week, by Grand Guardian W. D. Gaster, assisted by members of Cross Creek, Hope Mills and Lumber Bridge Lodges respectively. After the work of conferring the degrees had been finished the election of officers for the ensuing year was declared the next order of business with the following result, who were duly installed:

N. G.—Isham D. Black.
V. G.—D. B. Gillis.
Recording Sec'y.—Alex Sessoms.
Financial Sec'y.—W. M. Monroe.
Treasurer.—Archie Carmichael.
Conductor.—A. D. McGill.
Warden.—D. G. Blue.
Chaplain.—A. D. McGill.
R. S. N. G.—Duncan Shaw, Jr.
L. S. N. G.—Hugh McCall.
R. S. S.—John Gillis.
L. S. S.—M. N. Monroe.
R. S. V. G.—Colin Shaw.
L. S. V. G.—John C. Blue.
O. G.—John Gillis.
I. G.—
Trustees:—A. Carmichael, Alex. Sessoms and J. C. Blue.

This writer was so fortunate as to have the privilege—and which was indeed a pleasure—of participating in the exercises of the evening, and met, not for the first time, some of the many substantial citizens of Seventy-First—the garden spot of Cumberland Democracy—where the evening was most pleasantly and profitably spent. Just prior to the work of instituting the Lodge the visiting brethren *et als* were invited to a most bountiful repast, prepared for the occasion; such a feast as the good people of Seventy-First have always been noted for. This new Lodge is composed of some of the best material in the State, and has a bright future awaiting it.

**Religious Notes.**

The services at St. John's Church on Sunday morning last—embracing the consecration of the beautiful new chancel, the sermon of Bishop Watson and the administration of the rite of confirmation—were of exceptional interest and impressiveness, with very fine music, especially in the soprano solos.

The theme of Dr. Watson's discourse was conversion unto God and the true faith—handled with ability, clearness and unusual force. Not gifted with a pleasing delivery, and calling to his aid none of the compelling influences of oratorical effort, his attainments are scholarly and his reasoning clear and analytical. At the close of the sermon 8 males and 13 females presented themselves before the chancel rail and were received into the church.

Rev. T. P. Barclay, the pastor, being confined to the house by sickness, the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church was occupied last Sunday morning and evening by Rev. Mr. Hastings, who greatly edified and entertained his congregations by sermons of unusual earnestness and power.

Rev C. W. Byrd's Sunday night sermon in the Hay street Methodist Church—Psalms 73: 24: "Guide me by Thy counsel, and afterwards receive me into glory"—was one of the masterly efforts of this gifted young preacher. His tribute to the efficacy, power and all-sufficiency of God's Holy Word was finished, scholarly and eloquent.

A series of very interesting religious meetings have been held during the past week at the Fair Grounds—characterized by edifying services and undiminished attendance throughout.

**"When Greek Meets Greek, Then Comes the Tug of War."**

When Scotch meets Dutch no less severe the tug. A night or two since the street noises became less and less frequent, and finally ceased; the rumble of balls in the ten-pin alley across Hay street died away as the night waned; hushed even was the click of the ivory balls in the saloon below stairs; the midnight freight on the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway thundered in from the west, fumed and fretted about the depot for a minute or two, and then, with an angry shriek, went plunging onward through the darkness toward the southern swamps—and still, in a room in the Hotel LaFayette, two men "wasted the midnight oil," the light of battle in their eyes, their brows corrugated with deep lines of thought. Mr. W. J. McDiarmid, of this city, and Mr. G. E. Gossler, of Philadelphia, had "clinched" in a big lumber "deal" involving thousands of dollars, and a split on $35 stood in the way of a consummation of the bargain. The Caledonian had his jaws locked and his teeth set as immovably as his own Macallum Moore, while in the Teuton there was no more "shadow of turning" than in the "Iron Chancellor" of his own country. Wiping the perspiration of hours of conflict from his forehead, one of them leaned toward the other, and tremblingly said: "We'll give the amount of the split to the Young Men's Christian Association, by George!" "Agreed, by gum!" exclaimed the other, sinking back into his chair with a deep sigh of relief—and so the fight "panned out" $35 for the Association.

**The Bucket Factory.**

It is gratifying to know that this important manufacturing industry has won, from its inception, the success which it merited. Well-managed, putting upon the market good wares, and scrupulously trustworthy in its dealings, its business has steadily increased until an enlargement of the "plant" has become necessary.

Four acres of land have been purchased of Mr. Chas. B. McMillan, in the southern suburbs, and new buildings will be soon erected, with additional machinery. This has necessitated an increase of capital, and Messrs. G. W. Williams, Worth & Worth and perhaps other Wilmington capitalists have become large stockholders.

**The New York Comedy Company.**

The observance of Lent militates against the success of public amusements, but the New York Comedy Company are being greeted with very fair audiences in Williams Hall, which they repay with an enjoyable entertainment.

They bring with them some very commendable dramatic talent, their *repertoire* is varied and attractive, and excellent music here and there enlivens and enhances the interest of the programme. "Hazel Kirke" was rendered last evening, and tonight the bill shows an admirable performance.

**The "King's Daughters."**

This association of noble and true-hearted women deserves the hearty commendation and encouragement of the public as it has the blessings of the poor of the community. The entertainment given by the "King's Daughters" in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association on Friday evening last proved extremely pleasant, and was heartily enjoyed by their many friends who attested their good will by their presence.

**Young Men's Christian Association.**

L. A. Coulter, State Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, will be with the Association on Saturday night, March 1st, and will hold a conference with officers and members. Sunday morning there will be a consecration meeting at 9 o'clock, Sunday afternoon a meeting for men only at 4:30 o'clock at the rooms, and Sunday night a mass meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 o'clock.

**A Novelty as Yet.**

The people on the line between Fayetteville and Wilmington are yet enjoying the novelty of having a railway of their own, and our route last Monday morning with the excursion train was an ovation throughout. The old crone from the chimney corner, the house wife with broom in hand, the rosy-cheeked and cherry-lipped maid, the stalwart farmer from the plow, the babe in arms—all filled the doorways and crowded about the station platforms as the train whirled by.

**Don't Forget.**

Don't forget the business meeting of the Young Men's Christian Asssociation tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. President to elect, delegates to the State Convention to elect, and other important business to transact. *Don't fail to be there.*

**Important Meeting.**

Read the notice of the meeting of the County Board of Education, which has been postponed from the first to the second Monday in March. It will be an important meeting, and should receive the attention of all concerned in its proceedings.


NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## ALL FOR CASH!

YOU WILL FIND AT

**No. 27 Hay Street,**

THIS WEEK

**Many Attractions in Dress Goods.**

WE ARE DAILY RECEIVING

## NEW GOODS,

AND WE EXTEND A HEARTY INVITATION TO ALL TO COME AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

We are willing to show our Goods at any time, and leave it to the judgment of the customers whether they buy or not.

Our line of

**DRESS GOODS**

is very complete, and consists of all the leading brands in

**Henrietta, Cashmere, Flannels and Stuff Goods**

FOR LADIES' WEAR.

**Cashmere Ombre,**

the novelty of the season. We have received a lot this day. Also

**A LINE OF HIGH GRADE FRENCH SATEENS.**

We also offer the largest and most varied stock of

**EMBROIDERIES & SWISS FLOUNCING**

ever offered in this market. A look through our Embroideries and Laces will entertain any lady, and she will be certain to find what she wants.

We ask all to come and see us, and find out what we have.

REMEMBER, WE KEEP

**Shoes, Trunks, &c.**

JOHN RODDICK & CO.

Feb'y 27, 1890.

**We have just received a large assortment**

**OF BABY CARRIAGES,**

which we are offering at figures heretofore unheard of in Fayetteville.

See us before purchasing, and we will save you money.

P. S.—We have the latest designs in best quality 6-4 Table Oil Cloth—only 50 cents per yard.

S. SHEETZ & SONS.

Feb'y 27 1890. tf

## Organs! Organs! Organs!

—AT—

**Pemberton's Book and Music House.**

**Prices Range from $50 to $175.**

Warranted for SIX YEARS and sold on very liberal terms.

**$10.00 CASH AND $5.00 PER MONTH.**

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

Feb'y 27, 1890.


**Administrator's Notice.**

The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator *cum testamento annexo* of the estate of Daniel Black, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of February, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will come forward and settle the same.

JOHN BLACK,
*Cum Testamento Annexo.*

J. G. SHAW, Attorney.
Feb'y 25, 1890. 6w

**To Gas Consumers.**

A reduction has been made in the price of gas of $1.00 in the 1,000 feet, and on and after February 1st, 1890, it will be furnished to consumers at $2.50 per 1,000 feet.

JNO. P. THOMSON,
Treasurer Fayetteville Gas Co.

Feb'y 6, 1890. tf


NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## "HOME-MADE,"

—BY—

**JOHN RODDICK & CO.,**

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

**SHIRTS and DRAWERS**

MANUFACTURED OF LAKE GEORGE SHEETING and N. C. CHECKS.

Warranted not to rip, ravel or run down at the heel.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS to COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

Feb'y 27, 1890. tf

## The Wonderful Panacea Water,

Pleasant, Harmless, Reliable, Standard.

For sale by

B. E. SEDBERRY & SON.

Feb'y 27, 1890. 3w


**Board of Education.**

The meeting of the County Board of Education is postponed from the first Monday to the second Monday in March.

N. A. SINCLAIR, Ch'n.
H. McD. ROBINSON, Sec'y.
Feb'y 27, 1890. 2t

**Bunch of Keys.**

FOUND, a bunch of keys. The owner can have same by applying to the undersigned at the office of the Davis Sewing Machine Company in Mrs. Spencer's Millinery Store and paying for this notice.

W. G. THORNTON.
Feb'y 27, 1890. 1t

## FOR RENT.

The office formerly occupied by N. A. Sinclair, Esq., over Frank Beasley's Jewelry Store. Apply to

FRANK BEASLEY.
Feb'y 20, 1890. tf

**Card of Thanks.**

Miss E. J. Winslow desires to tender her sincere thanks to friends, white and colored, for kind and timely aid in extinguishing the fire at her residence on Sunday afternoon, 9th inst.

Feb'y 27, 1890.—1t


TRY

**Vendel's Herb JUICE**

—FOR—

**Malaria, Chills and Fever.**

Herb Juice is a sure and safe cure.

One bottle will convince you of its merits.

Price per bottle 50 cents. For sale by

A. VENDEL,
36 N. 7th Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

B. E. SEDBERRY & SON, Ag'ts,
Fayetteville, N. C.

Feb'y 27, 1890. 3m

## The World Beaten!

**254 7-8 Bushels Corn Made on One Acre.**

The Celebrated Drake Corn of South Carolina, about which there has been so much said, is for sale by W. R. WICKER, of this city.

Mr. Drake received $1,000 in gold as a premium—$500 from the American *Agriculturist*, of New York, and $500 from the State of South Carolina.

Mr. Drake claims he has the finest Seed Corn in the world. He says it will produce well with more stalks on an acre than any corn he has ever seen. Address

**W. R. WICKER,**

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Feb'y 27, 1890. 1m

**McMILLAN BROS.,**

—MANUFACTURERS OF—

**Turpentine Stills.**

WE HAVE ON HAND TWENTY-FIVE

**STILLS,**

New and second-hand, from 10 to 40 barrels capacity, which we offer at close figures. Still bottoms—all sizes. Parties wanting work in this line for prompt delivery should call on or address us.

**Still Doors, Grate Bars.**

☞ Repairing through the country a specialty.

☞ Old Stills bought or taken in exchange for new ones.

McMILLAN BROS.,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
Feb'y 27, 1890. or Savannah, Ga.

**Dr. Edward P. Halstead,**

**VETERINARY SURGEON,**

will be in Fayetteville for the next few days, and is prepared to treat all diseases of horses upon scientific principles. Makes a specialty of chronic lameness and disease of the eye, but will treat all ailments of the animal kind.

Feb'y 20, 1890. tf

### THE FUTURE.

What may we take into the vast Forever?
That marble door
Admits no fruit of all our long endeavor,
No fame wreathed crown we wore,
No garnered lore.

What can we bear beyond the unknown portal?
No gold, no gains
Of all our toiling; in the life immortal
No hoarded wealth remains,
Nor gilds, nor stains.

Naked from out the far abyss behind us
We entered here;
No word came with our coming to remind us
What wondrous world was near,
No hope, no fear.

Into the silent, starless night before us
Naked we glide;
No hand has mapped the constellations o'er us,
No comrade at our side.
No chart, no guide.

Yet, fearless toward that midnight black and hollow,
Our footsteps fare;
The beckoning of a Father's hand we follow—
His love alone is there,
No curse, no care.

—*Augusta C. Winthrop.*

### Resting the Soil.

Is absolute rest good for the soil? An eminent agriculturist says not. On the contrary, he claims to have proved by experiments oft-repeated that land at rest and unoccupied by a crop wastes and loses fertility. Soil kept constantly at work, he says, is gathering strength and fertility, both from the atmosphere and through its own gradual decomposition, which is effected by the roots of the crops which it nourishes. Roots have ability to decompose the mineral elements of the soil, and to gather matter from the air, both of which are changed into plant-food. When in a porous condition, too, the soil oxidizes organic matter and accumulates nitrogen, but it must be kept porous to render it effective. Hence, when not actually growing crops, it should still be kept active by working it with the plow, and particularly by manuring it.

There is a prevalent idea that land loses much of its manurial treasures by percolation after rains, but experience proves rather the opposite. Sandy land which has been salted will show in dry weather following rain the fine white saline efflorescence on its surface; and clayey soil will show the same to a much greater extent. The lesson from practical facts like these is obvious: Plow your fields in the fall, incorporating each with a heavy coating of good manure. This will keep them active all winter, and you will find in spring that the manure has been decomposed, and becomes part and parcel of the soil itself—greatly enriching it, and insuring a proportionally increased crop of whatever it is asked to produce.

### Feeding Straw to Horses.

Prairie Farmer ]

Farmers generally agree that there is much expense in wintering horses. There is less need for farm horses during the winter than formerly, when the forests were abundant and much of the clearing was done in the winter. Now about all the work on an ordinary farm can be done with one or two horses, while the rest are not only idle but they consume much valuable food, which, if turned into milk or pork, would affect the showing in the farmers' profits. Since the horses are idle and bring no returns, they should be fed with the cheapest food that will answer the purpose. Nearly every farmer has a straw-stack. The straw is not supposed to be very valuable, and therefore it is largely wasted by the stock; but as long as it is turned into manure the farmer is satisfied. It is much better to use some of this straw to feed those idle horses. It will save the hay, make better manure, and keep the horses in good condition.

### When Should He Retire?

At what age should a farmer retire from active work? He is fortunate who is able to use his own discretion in answering this question, and who is not forced to plod on after labor becomes doubly irksome. But it is still better if the farmer who feels himself unable to do full labor refuses to give up entirely, and contents himself with such light labors as are suited to his powers. For an active man entire rest is such an unnatural change that it soon destroys both health and strength. The care of domestic animals and of a small garden in summer will keep both body and mind in a more healthful state than is possible with idleness. To give up work is—for a man who has always been used to labor—not happiness, but a certain and speedy retirement from a world where he seems to himself no longer of any use.

### Grass as an Improver of the Soil.

Dr. W. C. Marsters, residing at Barrow Creek Springs, has seven-eighths of an acre that has been in orchard grass for five years. The soil is a sandy loam imposed on a red sand subsoil. When first seeded, the surface soil was scarcely four inches deep before the yellow sand was reached. Now with a top-dressing, when the grass starts in spring, and a slight one when the grass is mown, the surface soil has reached a depth of twelve inches. The lot has been pastured slightly every year, and it has yielded hay enough to pay for the manure and the interest on the land.

Some farmers, even at this day, are so blinded by their own ignorance that they are offended when a man tells them truthfully that their butter is not up to the standard of the market.

The stables should not only be well cleaned and purified by plenty of fresh litter and plaster, which neutralizes the odor of a stable, but also by ample ventilation, with abundant space for each cow.

According to good authorities and observers, quail are the most effective enemies of the chinch bug of any of the feathered tribes.

If there is a hole or weak place in the stable floor, see that it is fixed at once. It will cost no more to do it now than next week, and it may save a broken leg.

### In Imminent Danger.

Jenny—Here comes Jack, auntie. I wish you would come down and stay in the room.

Auntie—Why?

Jenny—I'm afraid he is going to propose, and I can't trust myself—he looks so poor and handsome.

Lawyer—Your uncle makes you his sole heir; but the will stipulates that the sum of one thousand dollars must be buried with him. Heir (feelingly)—The old man was eccentric; but his wishes must be respected, of course. I'll write a check for that amount.

Anxious Wife—Doctor, how is my husband? Doctor—He will come around all right. What he needs now is quiet. I have here a couple of opiates. "When shall I give them to him?" "Give them to him? They are for you, madam. Your husband needs rest."

**ONE ENJOYS**

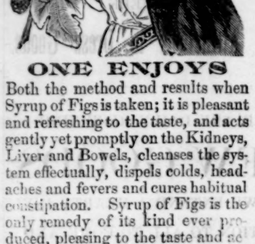
Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

**CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.**
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

For sale by
B. E. SEDBERRY & SON,
Fayetteville, N. C.

**CAUTION** Take no shoes unless W. L. Douglas' name and price are stamped on the bottom. If the dealer cannot supply you, send direct to factory, enclosing advertised price.

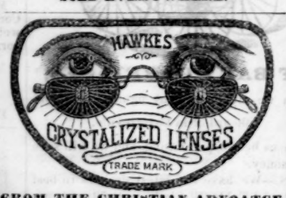


**W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.**
Fine Calf, Heavy Laced Grain and Creedmoor Waterproof.
Best in the world. Examine his
$5.00 GENUINE HAND-SEWED SHOE.
$4.00 HAND-SEWED WELT SHOE.
$3.50 POLICE AND FARMERS' SHOE.
$2.50 EXTRA VALUE CALF SHOE.
$2.25 & $2 WORKINGMEN'S SHOES.
$2.00 and $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.
All made in Congress, Button and Lace.

**$3 & $2 SHOES FOR LADIES.**
$1.75 SHOE FOR MISSES.
Best Material, Best Style, Best Fitting.
W. L. Douglas, Brockton, Mass. Sold by

**ROSE & LEAK,**
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Jan'y 2, 1890. 6m

**Tutt's Pills**
This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure
**Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness**
And all diseases arising from a Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion.
The natural result is good appetite and solid flesh. Dose small; elegantly sugar coated and easy to swallow.
SOLD EVERYWHERE.




**FROM THE CHRISTIAN ADVOATCE.**
Mr. A. E. Hawkes has gained a national reputation as a practical optician, and his celebrated spectacles and spring eye-glasses are known throughout the United States. We are writing this article with a pair of his new crystalized lenses, and they seem to us as transparent as light itself; and with them the finest print is as clear as in youth.—*Editor Christian Advocate.*

**ALL EYES FITTED**
And Fit Guaranteed at the Drug Store of
B. E. SEDBERRY, Fayetteville, N. C.
Dec 20 1y

—THE—
**Fayetteville Marble Works,**
CHAS. A. GOODWIN, Proprietor,
Lauder's Old Yard, Fayetteville, N. C.
Estimates made on a
**STONE WORK**
to be delivered in any part of the State and United States. Buy a Tombstone and remember your dead relatives and friends. Designs and prices furnished upon application.
Aug. 8, 1889. 1y

**FIRE INSURANCE.**
The ÆTNA is one of the strongest companies in the world, having a capital of 4,000,000.
Her dealings are unquestionable.
She has paid out in Chicago alone $3,800,000 in losses.
Place your risks in strong companies.
B. R. HUSKE, Agent.

**For Sale Cheap.**
A SECOND-HAND ROAD CART of the latest and most improved style, with top attached. Vehicle as good as new. Apply to
D. McD. GRADY.
Nov 15, 1889. tf


## LEGAL NOTICES.

### Commissioner's Sale of Land.

By virtue of decree of Superior Court at January Term, 1890, for Cumberland County, made in case of R. McCaskill, surviving partner of McCaskill & McLean et al. defendants, *ex parte*, the undersigned will, as commissioner appointed by said decree for the purpose of making assets to pay the outstanding debts against the firm of McCaskill & McLean, sell at public action for cash, to the highest bidder, on the premises, on the 3rd day of March, 1890, the following land situated in Cumberland County, State of North Carolina, to-wit: Beginning at a pine among pine pointers by east side of Buffalo Creek, about half a mile below an old mill site, and runs S. 57 E. 25 chains to a stake in the run of Hagan's branch; thence as the run of said branch N. 78 E. 27 chains to a black gum in the McLeod ford on said branch; thence N. 40 W. 56 chains to a pine by the side of Buffalo; thence N. 22 E. 15 chains to a pine by the side of Zach's branch; thence N 35 W. 5 chains to the run of Buffalo; thence S. 80 W. to the Gin branch; thence down the various courses of said branch to the run of Buffalo; thence down the various courses of the run of Buffalo until S. 57 E. will direct to the beginning. Estimated to contain 400 acres.
JNO. D. SHAW, JR.,
Feb'y 6, 1890—ts] Commissioner.

### Notice of Sale under Mortgage.

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain land mortgage, executed by R. S. Huske to A. S. Huske & Co., and by them assigned to the People's National Bank, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book L, No. 4, page 231, the following property will be exposed to sale by public auction, viz:
A tract of land on Winslow street, in Fayetteville, N. C., known as the "Stout & McNeill" property, with the buildings and improvements thereon. Also a lot on the South side of a 30 foot street, between Winslow and Robinson streets, adjoining the first-mentioned lot and the Ed Perry lot. Also the lot known as the Tobacco Warehouse Lot in Campbellton, adjoining the Miss Francis Pearce lot and Broad street, all of which is particularly described in the mortgage herein referred to and the conveyances therein mentioned as they are recorded.
Place of sale: Market House, Fayetteville, N. C.
Time of sale: 12 o'clock M., March 3rd, 1890.
Terms of sale: Cash.
THOMAS H. SUTTON, Attorney for Assignee of the Mortgagees.
CHAS. GLOVER, Auctioneer.
Feb'y 6, 1890. ts

### Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of the power contained in a deed of trust from J. R. Vann and F. A. Vann to the undersigned, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cumberland County, I will offer for sale at public outcry at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., the interest of F. A. Vann in 104 acres of land near Fayetteville, described in said deed and conveyed to me for the purposes therein mentioned. This land was formerly known as the B. W. Robinson land.
Terms of sale: Cash.
Time of sale: Tuesday, March 4th, at 12 o'clock M.
W. S. COOK, Trustee.
T. H. SUTTON, Attorney.
Jan'y 31, 1890. ts

### Administratrix Notice.

Having qualified as administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Thomas McDaniel, dec'd, this is to give notice to all persons indebted thereto, to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the same are notified to present the same on or before the 30th day of January, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All business connected with the above and any other business in which I may be interested will be attended to by Mr. D. McD. Grady, my business agent.
LUCY A. McDANIEL, Adm'x
Thos. McDaniel, dec'd.
THOMAS H. SUTTON, Attorney.
Jan'y 30, 1890. 6t

### Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having been duly qualified as administrator of the estate of Benoit Henry, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same on or before January 22, 1891, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.
W. T. HENZY, Adm'r
of Benoit Henzy.
Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 22, 1890. 6t

### Executor's Notice.

The undersigned having this day qualified, in the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., as executor of the will of John Culbreth, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the estate to present them on or before January 13th, 1891, and all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment. R. M. NIMOCKS, Executor
Jan'y 13, 1890—6t] of John Culbreth.

### Executors' Notice.

Having qualified as executors upon the estate of Silas Sheetz, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said decedent to present the same on or before January 16th, 1891.
Persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement.
H. E. SHEETZ.
W. S. SHEETZ.
Jan'y 16, 1890—6w] Executors.

### Sale of Land by Order of Court.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., made at January Term, 1890, in the case of N. W. Ray against the administrator and heirs of W. J. D. Maywood, I will on Monday, March 3rd, 1890, at 12 o'clock, at the Court House in Fayetteville, N. C., expose to sale by public auction for cash, a tract of land containing about 53 acres, as mentioned in said decree, being on the C. F. & Y. V. Ry. between two and three miles from Fayetteville, and adjoining the lands of Davis, Bullard and others. H. C. FISHER.
Jan'y 30, 1890—ts] Sheriff and Commissioner.

### Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of Colin McP. Campbell, dec'd, hereby gives notice to all persons owing said estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the same will present them on or before the 15th of February, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
S. J. CAMERON, Adm'r
of Colin McP. Campbell, dec'd,
SUTTON & COOK, Attorneys.
Feb'y 4, 1890. 4t

### Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., I will, on Monday, March 3rd, 1890, at the Court House in Fayetteville, expose to sale by auction, for cash, three houses and lots in Lower Fayetteville, near Cross Creek, known as "THE GEE HOUSES AND LOTS."
B. R. HUSKE,
Com'r and Guardian of R. S. Huske.
Jan'y 30, 1890—ts]

### Executors' Notice.

Having qualified as administrators of E. J. Lilly, deceased, late of Fayetteville, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of February, 1891, otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. H. W. LILLY,
R. T. GRAY,
Executors of E. J. Lilly, deceased
Feb'y 19, 1890—4w]

### Executor's Notice.

Having qualified as executor upon the estate of A. A. McKethan, Sr., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before February 13th, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Parties indebted to said estate will please settle promptly.
A. A. McKETHAN,
Feb'y 13, 1890—6w] Executor.

### NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between A. A. McKethan, Sr., and A. A. McKethan, Jr., under the name and style of A. A. McKethan & Sons, having been dissolved by the death of the senior member, notice is hereby given to all parties having claims against said firm to present them for settlement. All persons indebted to said firm will please pay the same promptly. Grateful to a generous public for their liberal support during nearly sixty years, the undersigned as surviving partner proposes to continue the business under the name and style of
**A. A. McKETHAN'S SON,**
and promises to conduct the business upon the same principles that have heretofore governed it.
A. A. McKETHAN, JR.
Jan'y 16, 1890. 1m


## ADVERTISEMENTS.

**The World Moves!**
**Get Up and Ride!!**

When the Big Guns in the Dry Goods trade, who are supposed to buy their goods on long time, insist on selling everything to everybody for strict cash, we think it is time for us heathen, who have to pay cash and cash only for our goods *before* we can ever *see* them, to *follow* in their illustrious footsteps.

It is a well-known fact that all dealers in Grain are compelled by the commercial law of the times to pay

**CASH**

for their supplies before they can get them, however much such dealers may be worth, or however

**GOOD**

they may be.

We have decided therefore to adopt the same rule in selling that we have to abide by in buying. In our case, this should always have been the rule. The unbusiness-like methods of others being our only excuse for wrong-doing, we trust that all of our patrons will "catch on" to the "new departure," and show their appreciation of our endeavors in the past to please them, by continuing to give us their patronage.

Recollect that we sell you

**Meal and Feed**

AT THE
ACTUAL COST
**of the unground material.**

We also hold that to endeavor to do a

**Hand to Hand Cash Trnasaction**

with every purchase is not only impracticable but also unbusiness-like, and we wish it distinctly understood that accounts with parties of a known place of business, that are always promptly paid on presentation without any foolishness, is in our opinion *cash*.

Respectfully,
**J. D. McNEILL & CO.,**
MERCHANT MILLS.
Sept. 5, 1889. tf

**"H. H. H."**

**Huske's Hardware House**

GUARANTEES THE FARMERS PERFECT SATISFACTION WHO USE THE

**No. 7 and No. 11 2-horse**

**Clipper Plows.**

Knowing the crops are short, we have made an arrangement with the factory and have reduced the

**Price from $7 to $5.50.**

We have just a car load of
DOORS, SASH, WINDOW FRAMES,
DOOR FRAMES, &c., &c.

We make a specialty of

**Building Materials**

Our sales of Lime, Nails, Laths and Shingles are large.

We are careful to buy in the best markets and look out for the interest of our customers.

**We have Five Ross Feed Cnuters**

we are offering at low prices to clear stock for 1890.

**B. R. HUSKE & CO.**
December 19, 1889.

—THE—
**People's National Bank,**
**FAYETTEVILLE, N. C**

CAPITAL STOCK, - - $125,000.00

—OFFICERS:—
E. F. MOORE, - - PRESIDENT,
GEO. P. McNEILL, - - CASHIER,
J. B. BROADFOOT, ASS'T CASHIER.

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Liberal inducements for deposits from Banks, Corporations, Business Houses and Individuals.
Our facilities for Making Collections at ALL Points are of THE BEST
ALL RETURNS WILL BE MADE PROMPTLY.
Persons Depositing Money and Receiving Certificates therefor, running 6 or 12 months, will receive interest thereon
October 8, 1889. 1y

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**Fayetteville, North Carolina.**
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The Manager of the Fashionable Campollo Island Hotels.

AN ANCIENT AND HISTORICAL SOUTHERN CITY.
IN THE PINEY-WOODS BELT OF CAROLINA.
ELEVATION 175 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL.
NOT TOO HOT, BUT ALWAYS MILD AND HEALTHFUL.
**An Especially Delightful Climate During the Spring Months,**
With the Most Remarkable Health and Longevity Record of any Place in this Country.
Jan'y 17, 1889. tf

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**WHOLESALE GROCERS,**
Are Acknowledged LEADERS in Their Line!
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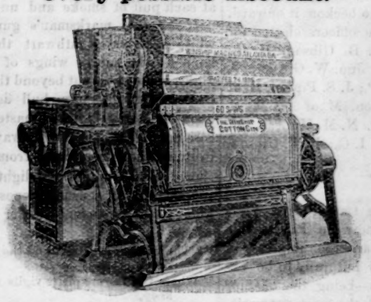

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A CAR LOAD WESTERN MIXED OATS,
A CAR LOAD SHIP STUFF,
**A Car Load of Rock Lime.**
**Flour a Specialty.**

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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

| Dated Sept. 6, 1889. | No. 23, Daily. | No. 27, Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Leave Weldon | 12 40 P. M. | 5 43 P. M. |
| Arrive Rocky Mount | 1 55 " | |
| Arrive Tarboro | *3 55 P. M. | |
| Leave Tarboro | 10 20 A. M. | |
| Arrive Wilson | 2 27 P. M. | 7 00 P. M. |
| Leave Wilson | *2 37 " | |
| Arrive Selma | 3 40 " | |
| Arrive Fayetteville | 6 00 " | |
| Leave Goldsboro | 3 20 " | 7 40 " |
| Leave Warsaw | 4 16 " | |
| Leave Magnolia | 4 30 " | 8 40 P. M. |
| Arrive Wilmington | 6 00 " | 9 55 P. M. |

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

| | No. 78, Daily. | No. 14, Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Leave Wilmington | 9 00 A. M. | 12 05 A. M. |
| Leave Magnolia | 10 43 " | 1 24 " |
| Leave Warsaw | 10 57 " | |
| Arrive Goldsboro | 11 52 " | 2 25 A. M. |
| Leave Fayetteville | *8 40 A. M. | |
| Arrive Selma | 11 00 " | |
| Arrive Wilson | 12 10 P. M. | |
| Leave Wilson | 12 45 P. M. | 3 02 A. M. |
| Arrive Rocky Mount | 1 20 " | |
| Arrive Tarboro | *3 55 " | |
| Leave Tarboro | 10 20 A. M. | |
| Arrive Weldon | 2 40 P. M. | 4 30 A. M. |

*Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Read leaves Halifax 2:30 P M, arrives Scotland Neck at 4:00 P M, Riverton 6:50 P.M. Returning, leaves Riverton 7:00 A M, Scotland Neck at 10:10 A M, daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 5:05 P M, Sunday 3:17 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 7:20 P M, 4:55 P M. Returning, leaves Williamston, N C, Daily except Sunday, 7:10 A M, Sunday 9:50 A M, Arrive Tarboro N C, 9:15 A M, 11:30 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 2:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. orthbound is No 50. *Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

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**Carolina Central Railroad Company, Change of Schedule.**

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

| June 2, 1889. | No. 41. Daily ex. Sunday. | No. 51. Daily ex. Sunday. | No. 5. Daily ex. Sunday. |
|---|---|---|---|
| L've Wilm'g'n | 2.20 p. m. | 7.30 p. m. | |
| L've Hamlet | 6.45 p. m. | 2.00 a. m. | |
| L've Wad'boro | 7.39 p. m. | 3.15 a. m. | |
| A've Char'lot'e | 9.35 p. m. | 6.10 a. m. | |
| L've Char'lot'e | | | 4.15 p. m. |
| L've Lincoln'n | | | 5.51 p. m. |
| L've Shelby | | | 6.57 p. m. |
| Ar've Ruth'f'n | | | 8.20 p. m. |

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

| June 2, 1889. | No. 38. Daily ex. Sunday. | No. 54. Daily ex. Sunday. | No. 6. Daily ex. Sunday. |
|---|---|---|---|
| L've Ruth'f'n | | | 8.00 a. m. |
| L've Shelby | | | 9.22 a. m. |
| L've Lincoln'n | | | 10.30 a. m. |
| Ar've Char'lte | | | 12.05 p. m. |
| L've Charlo'te | 5.15 a. m. | 8.30 p. m. | |
| L've Wad'boro | 7.08 a. m. | 11.18 p. m. | |
| L've Hamlet | 8.20 a. m. | 1.45 a. m. | |
| Ar've Wil'm'n | 12.30 p. m. | 7.45 a. m. | |

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